

## FORT HILL.

April 18, 1910.

Tom Thompson and family, of Sinking Spring, spent Sunday with Mrs. Pernelle A. Kinsling.

Miss Melva Hockman, who has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Walter Rhoads, near Rainsboro, returned home Thursday.

E. J. Cartwright, of Utica, is the guest of his mother.

Granville Hockman made a business trip to Hillsboro last week.

I. W. Stults and wife, James Bobb and wife and son, J. P. Havens and family and Mrs. Rebecca Stults attended a surprise party on the former's daughter, Mrs. Elmer Cameron, near Marshall, Sunday.

Simpson West and wife and two daughters, were the guests of Charlie Johnson and wife, at Beech Flats, Sunday.

Otho Hockman called on his uncle, Granville Hockman, Sunday afternoon.

Daniel Butler and two daughters, Mrs. H. V. Mathews and Miss Bess Butler were very pleasantly entertained at the home of the former's niece, Mrs. Charlie Swadley, at Hillsboro, Thursday and Friday.

Asa Brown, of No. 5, was a business visitor in this vicinity one day last week.

Newton Beekman spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives at Arkoe.

Floyd Stults and Floyd Hockman were business visitors near Rainsboro last week.

Audie and Lewis Crum were visiting relatives near New Fain Sunday.

Roy Miller, of Berryville, spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Walter Stanley.

## SHARPSVILLE.

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Mrs. Bell Laymon spent Thursday with her sister, Mrs. Minnie Chaney.

Mrs. Dora Shaffer and son, Wendell, were the guests of her parents, John Larrick and wife, at Willettsville, Wednesday.

T. J. Lowman and wife, Mrs. Elizabeth Chaney and Thomas Achor and family were the guests of Estle Chaney Sunday.

Mrs. Dora Shaffer and baby were the guests of her sister, Mrs. Thomas Deck, Thursday.

James Bird and family, Walter Burton and wife were the guests of Charles Brewer and family Sunday.

T. N. McDaniel and wife and the latter's mother, Mrs. Ann Skeen, spent Sunday with B. F. Lowman.

Mrs. Anna Burton is quite poorly.

Mrs. Lora Lowman and children called at the home of C. E. Chaney, Sunday.

## DO SONVILLE.

April 18, 1910.

George Shaffer and sister, Lettie, started Monday morning for Xenia, where they will make a two weeks' visit with relatives.

Miss Leona Stroup spent Saturday and Sunday with her friend, Miss Mearl Roads.

Elmer Shaffer spent Sunday with John Hastings.

Turner Stroup and wife and son, Noble, visited his brother, Ozro Stroup, recently.

The remains of Charles Fox were brought from Dayton Monday and taken to the home of his sister, Mrs. Turner Stroup, near this place. The funeral services were held at the Lutheran Church Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Miss Rosa Stroup spent Saturday and Sunday with Miss Ruth Runyon.

Henry Miller and sister, Ella, spent Sunday afternoon at Lynchburg.

Quite a number from this place took the Patterson examination at Hillsboro Saturday.

T. C. Pratt and family spent Sunday with Jesse Orebough.

The sick are Mr. Gardner, Mrs. Frank Stricker and Mrs. Frank Tedrick.

## CEN: ERFIELD.

April 18, 1910.

Grace and Carlton Williams were at Carmel Sunday.

James Butler and wife visited his parents here Sunday.

Miss Nellie Mills spent Saturday and Sunday at home.

Mrs. Williams and daughter, Grace, spent the latter part of the week with Chester Rhoads and wife at Sinking Spring.

Miss Mary McGreg, who is teaching near Hillsboro, spent Saturday and Sunday at home.

Fay Cowman and Edward McMahon left on Wednesday for Columbus.

Adam Barrett and family spent Sunday with Grant Dodds and family.

Mrs. Robert Irwin and children, of Greenfield, visited her mother, Mrs. Dollarhide, Sunday.

Water thrown on the ice of the arctic regions will crack it, just as boiling water will crack a piece of glass. This is because the ice is so much colder than water.

"Please, ma'am," said the servant, "there's a poor man at the door with wooden legs."

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## Obituary.

Mary Melissa, daughter of Jacob and Christina Foraker, was born Jan. 2, 1842, and departed this life at her home near Rainsboro, April 3, 1910, aged 68 years, 3 months and 1 day. She was married to James Hughes Dec. 16, 1870, and to them were born three children, Cora J., wife of Austin Beavers, Clara and John.

The deceased was well schooled in her youth for the cares and responsibilities of a household, being the oldest of a large family of children.

To her own home she brought the skill and patient industry, so necessary for the duties and cares that came to her.

The children have been spared to womanhood and manhood to honor the memory of a precious mother by their worthy lives and to bless and comfort her in the last days with their loving care and devotion.

About five years ago sister Hughes was stricken with paralysis, but was still able to be about the house and assist in some of the light duties of the household. But about two years ago a second stroke rendered her helpless and since then, in weariness and pain, she has been waiting for the change to come. Yet the family noticed no serious change and she was confined to her bed only three days.

On Sunday, April 3, at 1:30, she ceased to live and was at rest. Six years ago her husband also suffered a light stroke of paralysis, but native vigor and determined spirit, threw it off and he continued active in the duties of the farm until two years ago, when a second stroke rendered him helpless and made him realize the feebleness that comes to all when youthful vigor is no more.

And now as he sits in helplessness and loneliness will come the precious memories, as for more than forty years they walked together the pathway of life, and with these memories will soon come the blessed hope that not for long will the separation be, but soon beyond the shadows and the waiting beyond the weariness and the pain they will meet in the morning of our God. And to the children with the tender precious recollections of mother may there come the glad anticipations of all being united in that land where sickness and sorrow, pain and death are felt and feared no more. Beside the immediate family of husband, children and grandchildren, there remain of the old home circle four brothers, Henry, of Bainbridge, Trimble, in Oklahoma, James and Rufus, of Greenfield and three sisters, Mrs. Susie Washburn and Mrs. Ann Harrington, of Greenfield, and Mrs. Samantha Johnson, of Dallas, besides a large circle of relatives and friends who, mourning their loss, may by remembering her virtues be made better thereby. The deceased was a member of the M. E. Church at Rainsboro and died in the blessed faith of a Christian.

J. H. D.

## CARD OF THANKS.

We desire to show our appreciation of the kindness and helpfulness shown by our neighbors and friends in the sickness and death of our dear one, and hereby acknowledge our indebtedness to them for their sympathy and kind acts which which we will ever cherish with grateful remembrance.

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## PATTERSON EXAMINATION

Questions Propounded to Those Who Took the Examination Saturday.

UNITED STATES HISTORY INCLUDING CIVIL GOVERNMENT.

1. Describe the early settlement of Ohio.

2. Who were the inhabitants of Ohio before the whites? Write about their manner of living.

3. Who is our Governor? What are his duties? What are the duties of any of our county officials?

4. Name the important wars in America before the Revolution. Give cause and results of one of them. What were the terms of the treaty that closed this war?

5. What is the Declaration of Independence? What is the Constitution? When was each adopted? Where? By whom?

6. Give an event in the life of each of the following men: W. T. Sherman, James Russell Lowell, Rutherford B. Hayes, Capt. John Smith, Jacques Marquette, Robert Fulton, Marquis de Lafayette, and Admiral George Dewey.

7. Define history, rebellion, war, statesman, civil government, congress, treasurer.

8. Outline the administration of any president since the Civil war. What were the chief events of his term of office?

## ARITHMETIC.

1. What is a fraction? A note? Interest? A decimal fraction? A circle?

2. Smith and Oaks load 37 cars with 1,065,600 lb. of soap; allowing 64 lbs. to the box, how many boxes did it take?

3. Simplify:  $(9 \frac{1}{2} \times 7 \frac{3}{4}) \div 3.5 = ?$

4. If 4-5 of a number is 20,256, what is the whole number?

5. Find the L. C. M. of 2, 6, 8, 12, 18, 40, 63 and 128.

6. How many square feet of zinc will be needed to line the five sides of an open cubical tank containing 1728 cubic feet?

7. Find the interest on a note of \$675 given July 1, 1906, drawing 6% interest and due the day you are taking this examination.

8. Add 2358, 3165, 16395, 406, 2749, 428690, 3174, 4528, 53185, 5749 and divide the sum by 128.

9. How many yards of cloth at \$1 7-8 per yard, will I receive in exchange for 8 bu. 2 pks. 5 qts. 1 pt. of plums at \$2.40 per bushel?

## GEOGRAPHY.

1. Draw an outline map of the United States showing five rivers, ten cities, two mountain ranges, two mountain peaks and a great battlefield.

2. Name the important exports of Ohio; name the most important manufactured products of our state; give the area and population of Ohio.

3. Locate three largest rivers of Europe and a city upon each one; name the products of the valley of each river.

4. What is the capital of Brazil? Of India? Of Sweden? Of Egypt? Of Panama?

5. Give the principal physical features of Siberia; of Australia. What are the occupations of the people of each of these countries?

6. Locate and tell what is Hawaii; Valparaiso; Dallas; Ganges; Aleutians; Gibraltar; Yangtze; Sahara; Algiers; Sumatra.

7. If you made a trip to each of the following places, what products would you expect to buy in quantities: Cape-town? Seattle? St. Petersburg? Manila? Odessa?

8. What kind of government and religion has Greece? Brazil? Canada? Japan? Egypt?

## GRAMMAR.

1. What is the subject of a sentence? Write a sentence with a noun for the subject. Write another sentence with a clause for the subject.

2. Write the singular and plural possessive forms of ox, pupil, Ohio, calf, man, he, sky, brother.

2. Write a memory gem, either prose or poetry of at least six lines. (Observe the rules of punctuation, spelling, capitalization, etc.)

4. Define transitive verb and passive voice. Show each of these in sentences.

5. Write a letter to a newspaper advertisement that called for applicants for a position of clerk in a store to work after school hours and on Saturdays.

6. Define adjective and the different kinds of adjectives. Write sentences showing these adjectives in their proper uses.

7. What is a pronoun? Decline I, thou, she, it, he and who.

8. Analyze, or diagram? They are never alone that are accompanied with noble thoughts.

Parse, or give the construction of the words in italics.

## PHYSIOLOGY.

1. Name and locate three vital organs of the body. Give the functions of them.

2. What is the use of the outer ear? How protect the inner ear? How do we endanger our good hearing sometimes?

3. What is excretion? What are its uses? Name two organs of excretion.

4. Describe the composition of the blood. What are the chief functions of the blood?

5. What can you say of the motions of the heart? Of the eye lids?

6. What foods and drinks are best for young people? Name some drinks very harmful. Name some foods that may do harm.

7. What is the portal circulation? Mastication? A pulsation? The peristoleum? Absorption?

8. Give the uses of the nervous system. How do alcoholics and narcotics hurt or hinder either of these.

## ORTHOGRAPHY.

1. What is a vowel? A syllable? Pronunciation?

2. Show the different sounds of C and G in words properly marked.

3. Define silent letter, consonant, accent, polysyllable, and primitive word.

4. Mark these words with the proper diacritical markings: nasal, cartilage, Brazil, merciful, Tecumseh, watch, humid, Cuyahoga, valise, verify.

5. Spell: alluvial, glaciers, delve, varies, chrysanthemum, Mohican, delity, tread, prophecy, secrecy, precede, abbeys, fire place, frigid, fertile, apology, plenteous, trophy, Porto Rico.

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9:25	9:35
10:25	10:35
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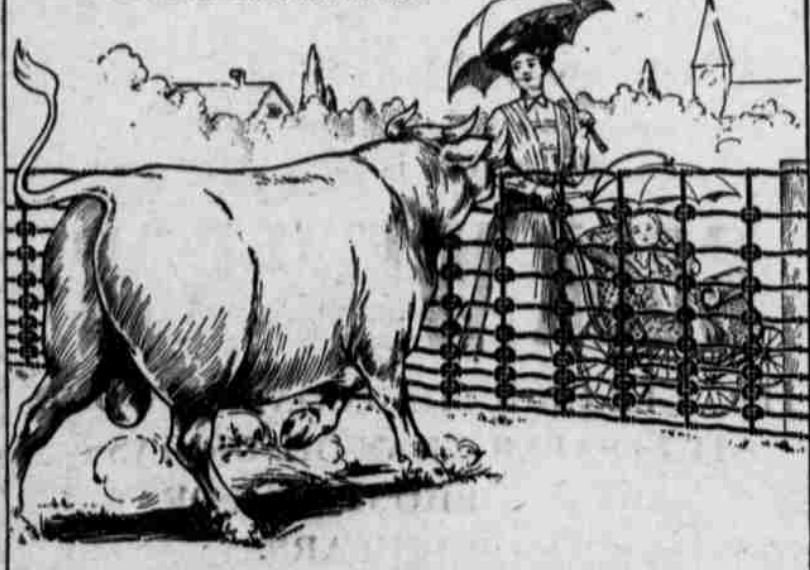
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